

The President announced his intention to nominate Jonathan Talisman to be Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy at the Department of the Treasury.

The President announced his intention to appoint Richard W. Danielson, Robert A. Glassman, Craig W. Hartzell, Arthur M. Lopez, and Ruth Lillian Young as members of the National Veterans Business Development Corporation.

The President announced his intention to reappoint Ned W. Bandler, Chaskel Besser, and Rachmiel Liberman as members of the Commission for the Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad.

The White House announced that the President directed the Department of Health and Human Services to release Low Income Home Energy Assistance program emergency funds for States affected by a heat wave.

July 26

The President announced his intention to nominate Sue Bailey to be Administrator for the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

July 27

The President announced the nomination of Edward Kaufman and Alberto J. Mora to be members of the Broadcasting Board of Governors.

The President declared a major disaster in Vermont and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding on July 14–18.

The White House announced that President-elect Vincente Fox of Mexico will visit the White House on August 24.

July 28

In the morning, the President traveled to Providence, RI, arriving in the afternoon. Later, he traveled to Boston, MA.

In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his July 27th nomination of Troy Hamilton Cribb to be Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, International Trade Administration at the Department of Commerce.

The President announced his July 27th nomination of Robert N. Shamansky to be

a member of the National Security Education Board.

The President announced his July 27th nomination of Paula M. Junghans to be Assistant Attorney General for the Tax Division at the Department of Justice.

The President announced his July 27th nomination of James H. Atkins to be a member of the Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board.

The President amended the disaster declaration for Minnesota issued on June 27 to include assistance for families and local governments victimized by the deadly tornado that struck the town of Granite Falls in Yellow Medicine County on July 25.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted July 25

Margrethe Lundsager, of Virginia, to be U.S. Alternate Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund for a term of 2 years, vice Barry S. Newman, term expired.

Jonathan Talisman, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, vice Donald C. Lubick, resigned.

Submitted July 26

Geoff Bacino, of Illinois, to be a member of the National Credit Union Administration Board for the term of 6 years, expiring August 2, 2005, vice Norman E. D'Amours, term expired.

Edward E. Kaufman, of Delaware, to be a member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2003 (reappointment).

Alberto J. Mora,
of Florida, to be a member of the Broad-
casting Board of Governors for a term expir-
ing August 13, 2003 (reappointment).

David Z. Plavin,
of New York, to be a member of the Federal
Aviation Management Advisory Council for
a term of one year (new position).

Sue Bailey,
of Maryland, to be Administrator of the Na-
tional Highway Traffic Safety Administration,
vice Ricardo Martinez, resigned.

Withdrawn July 26

John R. Simpson,
of Maryland, to be a Commissioner of the
U.S. Parole Commission for a term of 6 years
(reappointment), which was sent to the Sen-
ate on July 19, 1999.

Submitted July 27

Christine M. Arguello,
of Colorado, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the
Tenth Circuit, vice John C. Porfilio, retired.

James H. Atkins,
of Arkansas, to be a member of the Federal
Retirement Thrift Investment Board for a
term expiring September 25, 2004 (re-
appointment).

Jose Collado,
of Florida, to be a member of the Advisory
Board for Cuba Broadcasting for a term ex-
piring December 20, 2000, vice Marjorie B.
Kampelman, resigned.

Jose Collado,
of Florida, to be a member of the Advisory
Board for Cuba Broadcasting for a term ex-
piring December 20, 2003 (reappointment).

Paula M. Junghans,
of Maryland, to be an Assistant Attorney
General, vice Loretta Collins Argrett, re-
signed.

David Stewart Cercone,
of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. District Judge for
the Western District of Pennsylvania, vice
Robert J. Cindrich, upon elevation.

Troy Hamilton Cribb,
of the District of Columbia, to be an Assis-
tant Secretary of Commerce, vice Robert S.
LaRussa.

Harry Peter Litman,
of Pennsylvania, to be U.S. District Judge for
the Western District of Pennsylvania, vice
Alan N. Bloch, retired.

Robert N. Shamansky,
of Ohio, to be a member of the National Se-
curity Education Board for a term of 4 years
(reappointment).

**Checklist
of White House Press Releases**

The following list contains releases of the Office
of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as
items nor covered by entries in the Digest of
Other White House Announcements.

Released July 22

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Na-
tional Security Adviser Jim Steinberg on the
President's meeting with Prime Minister
Mori of Japan

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy Na-
tional Security Adviser for International Eco-
nomic Affairs Lael Brainard on the G-8 sum-
mit

Statement by the Press Secretary: Visit of
Philippine President Joseph Estrada

Text of a letter from Chief of Staff John
Podesta to House Speaker J. Dennis Hastert
on willingness to meet with congressional
leaders

Text of a memorandum from Office of Man-
agement and Budget Director Jacob J. Lew
to the President on the effect of congres-
sional legislative action on the budget surplus

Fact sheet: U.S.-Japan Bilateral Issues

Fact sheet: Majority of G-8 Mobilizes Bil-
lions To Combat Infectious Disease in De-
veloping Countries

Announcement of nominations for U.S. Dis-
trict Judges for the District of Arizona

Released July 23

Transcript of a press briefing by National
Economic Council Director Gene Sperling
on the education initiative for developing
countries